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SUBJECT: ANTI-SMOKING PROGRAMS

REF: (A) STATE A-6225 OF JULY 23, 1973
(B) SAN JOSE A-154 OF AUGUST 25, 1972
(C) SAN JOSE A-0011 OF JANUARY 17, 1973

1. IN ACCORDANCE WITH AN EXECUTIVE DECREE ISSUED BY THE COSTA RICAN MINISTRY OF HEALTH A WARNING, AS RECOMMENDED BY THE WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION, IS PRINTED ON ALL PACKAGES OF CIGARETTES MANUFACTURED IN COSTA RICA. THE WARNING READS: "WARNING: SMOKING CAN BE DANGEROUS TO YOUR HEALTH."

2. A PROPOSED LAW IS CURRENTLY BEFORE THE CONGRESS WHICH WOULD REQUIRE THAT RADIO, TELEVISION, NEWSPAPER AND MAGAZINE ADVERTISEMENTS FOR CIGARETTES CONTAIN A SIMILAR ANNOUNCEMENT.THIS PROPOSAL IS NOT EXPECTED TO GO ANYWHERE, AT LEAST DURING THIS SESSION OF CONGRESS.
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